### **QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT**

## WHYY-TV

### FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1ST, 2010 THROUGH MARCH 31ST, 2010

The license of station WHYY-TV has determined that the following issues were of importance to the Delaware Valley community during the past three months and has aired the following programs to address these issues:

# 1.ARTS AND CULTURE

Antiques Roadshow: "Atlantic City"

1/25/10

8:00 pm

60 minutes

More than 5,000 attended the production of Antiques Roadshow in June. Tune in for the first of three episodes recorded in Atlantic City, N.J., and watch as owners recount tales of family heirlooms, yard-sale bargains and long-neglected items salvaged from attics and basements, while experts reveal the fascinating truths about these finds. The first episode features a Walt Whitman memoir inscribed by the author.

#### Faces of America

2/23/10

10:00 pm

60 Minutes

What made America? What makes us? Those two questions are at the heart of Faces of America with Henry Louis Gates Jr. Building on the success of his series African American Lives and African American Lives 2, the Harvard scholar turns to the latest genealogy and genetics tools to explore the family histories of 12 renowned Americans, including figure skater Kristi Yamaguchi and comedian Stephen Colbert.

#### On Stage at Curtis

3/24/10

10:00pm

60 minutes

Hear the legends of tomorrow and enjoy student recitals by today's finest young classical musicians on the stage of Field Concert Hall at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia. Wednesday's episode showcases faculty and students as they kick off a nationwide tour with a recital at Curtis, featuring the world premiere of a work by David Ludwig and Stravinksy's L'Histoire du soldat (The Soldier's Tale).

On Canvas: Vienna Teng

3/31/10

8:00pm

60 minutes

The third season of the Emmy Award-winning WHYY-TV series continues with a performance by and interview with Vienna Teng, who has released four albums that incorporate her own evocative blend of folk, pop, classical piano and a cappella. The On Canvas crew captured a performance by Teng at Sellersville Theater 1894 in Sellersville, Pa.

# 2. CRIME

Frontline: "The Dancing Boys of Afghanistan"

1/19/10

10:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

An ancient Afghanistan tradition — banned when the Taliban were in power — has re-emerged across the country: Many hundreds of boys, often as young as 10, are unwittingly being lured off the streets to be used for entertainment and sex. An Afghan journalist investigates the illegal practice, talking with the boys and their masters.

**Independent Lens: Copyright Criminals** 

1/21/10

9:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

Can you own a sound? As hip-hop rose from the streets of New York to become a multibillion-dollar industry, artists such as Public Enemy and De La Soul began reusing parts of previously recorded music for their songs. But when record company lawyers got involved, everything changed. Years before people started downloading and remixing music, hip-hop sampling sparked a debate about copyright, creativity, and technological change that still rages today.

## 3. ENVIRONMENT

Nature: "Clash — Encounters of Bears and Wolves"

1/17/10

8:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

This Nature film offers arresting showdowns between grizzlies and wolves and reveals details about their social lives and survival strategies as well as those of other animals — from elks to otters — in Yellowstone National Park.

The National Parks: America's Best Idea

2/3/10

9:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

The National Parks: America's Best Idea is a 12-hour, six-part documentary series directed by Ken Burns and co-produced with his longtime colleague Dayton Duncan. The film is the story of an idea as uniquely American as the Declaration of Independence and just as radical: that the most special places in the nation should be preserved, not for royalty or the rich, but for everyone.

# Celebrating North America's Steam Railways

3/20/10

9:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

This program explorers the impact the steam engine had in building our world from the tundra of Alaska to the vast high desert of Arizona, the rolling hills of New Hampshire to the Black Hills of South Dakota and through the prairies and mountains of Canada.

## 4. HEALTH CARE AND SCIENCE

**First** 

2/5/10

5:30 p.m.

30 Minutes

We put teen drivers behind the wheel and give them a texting test. Then, take an in-depth look at a local organization that's helping adults with autism. Plus, Delaware lawmakers legalized table games, now casinos need to hire dealers, quickly.

NOVA: "The Pluto Files"

3/2/10

8:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

When the American Museum of Natural History's Hayden Planetarium stopped calling Pluto a planet, director Neil deGrasse Tyson found himself at the center of a firestorm led by angry, Pluto-loving elementary school students who launched a letter-writing campaign. What is it about the cold, distant, icy rock that captures so many hearts

Independent Lens: The Eyes of Me

3/4/10

9:00 p.m.

60 Minutes

How do you see yourself, when you can't see at all? At the Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired, students juggle all the usual pressures of high school along with the added challenges of growing up blind. Spend a year with four blind teens learning how to fit in and live independently. Forced to confront the world without sight, they share their inner visions of the outer world. Ultimately, you cannot understand their perceptions without challenging your own.

# 5. Politics and Government

#### **FIRST**

1/22/10

5:30 pm

30 Minutese

Governor Jack Markell marks his first year in office with a State of the State Address for Delaware. Plus, the 2009 H1N1 outbreak called for swift production of a flu shot, but it took months before people had access to it. A Delaware biotechnology company has received two multi-million dollar grants recently to develop their vaccine technology - for diseases such as malaria and anthrax.

#### A Conversation with the Governor

1/29/10

10:30 pm

120 Minutes

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Marty Moss-Coane, host and executive producer of WHYY-FM's Radio Times, interviews Pennsylvania Gov. Ed Rendell during the Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce's fourth annual A Conversation with the Governor.

### 6. WAR

American Experience: "Victory in the Pacific"

3/29/10

10:00 pm

60 Minutes

This provocative, thorough examination of the final months of the World War II looks at the escalation of bloodshed from the vantage points of the Japanese and Americans.

First

2/12/10

5:30 pm

30 Minutes

When fallen US soldiers and civilians return home they go through Dover Air Force Base. Last April the Department of Defense reversed a controversial policy and opened this "dignified transfer" back up to the media. And, snow days - the blizzard of 2010.

Masterpiece Classic: "The 39 Steps"

2/28/10

9:00 pm

60 Minutes

Secret agent Richard Hannay battles German spies on the eve of World War I in a riveting and romantic new version of the classic thriller by John Buchan, made famous in Alfred Hitchcock's 1935 movie. Rupert Penry-Jones (Persuasion) stars with Lydia Leonard (Jericho) as suffragette Victoria Sinclair, his unlikely accomplice in a quest to expose German plans to destroy the British navy and invade the country.